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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 11, 2011

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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action dated December 9, 2011, for which the three-month date for response is March 9, 2011. It is believed that no fees are due in connection with the filing of this paper. However, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason whatsoever, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the appropriate fees from Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No.: 50-1212/BRKP:028US/10609467.

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